COMMONWEALTH BUREAU OF CENSUS AND STATISTICS, TASMANIA OFFICE

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MISCELLANEOUS INDICATORS OF TASMANIAN PRODUCTIVE ACTIVITY, NOVEMBER, 1965

| | Dairy Products | | | | | 732 (: 2 | i | Metals | |
|--|-------------------------------------|---|---------------------------------------|---|---------------------------------------|--|--|---------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| PERIOD | Whole Milk | Factory Butter | Factory Cheese | Bacon and Ham (Cured Weight) (c) | Aerated Waters | Flour (incl. Wheatmeal for Baking and Sharps) | Wood Pulp (d) | Refined Zinc | Blister |
| Year: 1962-63 1963-64 1964-65 p | (a) 1000 gals. 78,518 83,124 87,381 | (b) tons 13,097 13,667 13,907 | tons 643 1,337 2,344 | tons 1,182 1,166 1,060 | '000 gals. 2,129 2,186 2,297 | | tons 136,188 157,413 170,089 | tons 136,205 138,610 138,776 | tons 13,401 15,128 13,755 |
| 6 months ended November, 1964 p 6 months ended November, 1965 p | | 7,331 7,694 | 1,242 1,688 | 500 513 | 1,051 1,051 | 14,311 | 84,706 93,101 | 68,999 72,9 1 0 | 7,711 |
| Month: 1964 October p November p | 11,860 12,532 | 1,993 | 360 398 | 82 123 | 189 223 | 2,459 2,571 | 14,140 14,0 4 2 | 11,465 11,211 | 1,413 1,159 |
| 1965 October p November p | 13,427 14,205 | 2,156 2,291 | 468 490 | 85 121 | 204 230 | 2,055 2,565 | 14,924 16,501 | 12,137 11,793 | 1,061 |
| PERIOD | Building Materials | | | | | Hot Water Sys- | Electricity | Fertilizers | |
| | Sawn Timber (e) | Clay Bricks | Portland Cement | Plaster Sheets | Sulphuric Acid | tems, Storage ic Displacement Type (Other than full Mains pres- sure) Electric | for all Purposes Except Traction | Super- phosphate | Sulphate of Ammonia |
| Year: 1962-63 1963-64 1964-65 p | 159,864 170,857 175,950 | '000 20,908 24,648 26,684 | tons 125,288 125,546 124,806 | sq. yds. 742,309 782,067 702,005 | tons 139,980 158,832 181,965 | no. 3,774 4, 767 4,925 | 1000 k.w.h. 3,209,115 3,409,275 3,779,835 | tons 125,413 132,113 130,350 | tons 52,433 42,819 59,812 |
| 6 months ended November, 1964 p 6 months ended November, 1965 p | f 90,184 f 96,659 | 12,667 13,716 | 63,008 | 384,599 325,066 | 88,866 104,401 | 2,909 2,429 | 1,943,827 | 60,859 76,245 | 31,205 |
| Month: 1964 October p November p | 15,781 16,325 | 1,889 2,399 | 10,350 | 59,539 61,526 | 16,364 14,100 | 355 429 | 322,253 304,546 | 11,854 11,419 | 5,610 5,953 |
| 1965 October p November p | 16,229 (g) | 2,150 2,155 | 9,076 | 49,207 50,135 | 18,344 16,984 | 452 429 | 326,657 313,029 | 16,869 15,777 | 5,577 4,501 |

⁽a) Includes whole milk equivalent of butter, butter oil and cheese produced. (b) Includes butter equivalent of butter oil.

⁽c) Includes non-factory production. (d) Ground wood pulp, chemical and semi-chemical pulp; figures to be used as an index of production only.

⁽e) Includes peeled and sliced timber converted to a sawn timber equivalent. (f) 6 months ended October. (g) Not yet available.

New series Production of Cathode Copper ceased October, 1965. p Preliminary - subject to revision.

SLAUGHTERINGS, MEMAT PRODUCTION & LIVESTOCK PRICES - TASMANIA.

1. LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTERED

| | | Cattle | | | | |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------|----------|------|
| PER.IOD | Bulls, Bullocks, Steers | Cows & Heifers | Calves | Sheep | Lambs | Pi |
| Year: 1961-62 | 42,614 | 48,638 | 44,230 | 510,626 | 649, 306 | 120, |
| 1962-63 | 49,510 | 62,317 | 46,149 | 465,996 | 628, 757 | 115, |
| 1963-64 | 51,518 | 70,885 | 53,823 | 544,945 | 582, 113 | 123, |
| 1964-65 | 52,946 | 70,510 | 50,610 | 424,810 | 562, 135 | 134, |
| 6 months ended Nov., 1964 | 26,804 | 37,203 | 46,463 | 191, 747 | 267,951 | 59, |
| 6 months ended Nov., 1965 p | 22,168 | 24,880 | 41,250 | 213, 436 | 266,846 | 63, |
| Month:- 1964 October November | 4,395 4,197 | 6,000 5,668 | 7,085 1,500 | 36,559 34,281 | 39,944 | 10, |
| 1965 October p | 3,701 | 3,981 | 3,275 | 41,847 | 41,982 | 11, |
| November p | 3,749 | 4,598 | 1,344 | | 66,012 | 14, |

p Preliminary, subject to revision.

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|--|--------------------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------------|
| PERIOD | Beef | Veal | Mutton | Lamb | Pigmeat . (a) | Tot |
| Year: 1961-62 1962-63 1963-64 1964-65 | 18,778 22,711 24,593 25,334 | 896 983 1,316 936 | 10,066 9,462 10,926 9,079 | 10, 163 9, 924 9, 153 9, 044 | 5,428 5,461 5,927 6,585 | 45,3 48,5 51,9 50,9 |
| 6 months ended Nov., 1964 6 months ended Nov., 1965 p | 12,998 9,769 | 823 767 | 4, 085 4, 487 | 4,300 | 2,910 | 25,1 22,- |
| Month: - 1964 October | 2,132 | 172 | 794 | 650 | 540 | 4.2 |

741

891

1,034

1,098

1,019

700

615

595

719

2. MEAT PRODUCTION (TONS - CARCASS WEIGHT)

(a) Includes that used for production of bacon and ham.

2,039

1,610

1,716

p Preliminary, subject to revision.

November p

November

1965 October p

3. LIVESTOCK PRICES (a)

3.7

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| PERIOD | Calves Other Cattle | Sheep | Lambs | Pigs | |
|---|--|--|------------------------------------|--------------------------------|--|
| | £ s. d. £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. | |
| Year: 1961-62 1962-63 1963-64 1964-65 6 months ended Nov., 1964 | 1 18 4 29 12 7 1 11 6 29 8 3 1 14 11 32 10 4 2 17 2 39 0 3 1 18 0 37 7 6 | 1 11 9 1 15 7 2 4 5 2 19 5 3 5 9 | 2 11 9 3 1 0 3 7 8 3 18 0 | 11 4 13 18 14 18 15 6 | |
| 6 months ended Nov., 1965 | 2 10 2 46 11 10 | 3 3 10 | 4 5 5 | 15 18 | |
| Month:- 1964 October November | 2 2 11 38 2 1 2 16 5 38 19 8 | 2 14 9 2 14 0 | 3 12 4 3 6 0 | 17 6 1 15 16 9 | |
| 1965 October November | 3 6 10 50 1 9 4 6 9 43 4 1 | 2 14 8 2 6 5 | 3 14 5 3 3 1 | 16 1 16 Q | |

(a) Estimated average prices, on the hoof, of main classes of livestock sold for slaughter